

FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

(Continued)

(Thursday, April 28, 1949)

AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock a.m. and was called to order by the President pro tempore.

Message from the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas,
April 28, 1949.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following bill and resolutions:

H. C. R. No. 86, Directing the Enrolling Clerk of the House to make certain correction in H. B. No. 120.

H. C. R. No. 87, Suspending all rules for the purpose of allowing the House and Senate to take up and consider their local and uncontested Calendars on Wednesday or Thursday, April 27th and 28th.

S. B. No. 116, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing a minimum Foundation School Program for nine (9) full months of the school year for each child of school age in the public free schools of Texas and establishing the eligibility requirements for grants from the Foundation School Fund applicable to all Texas public school districts in connection therewith; designating the procedure and means by which such program shall be financed; providing a minimum base salary schedule plus increments for teaching experience for public school teachers and repealing all laws in conflict therewith; etc., and declaring an emergency."

(With amendments.)

Respectfully submitted,
CLARENCE JONES,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

House Concurrent Resolution 87

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate for consideration at this time:

H. C. R. No. 87, Suspending the Joint Rules to permit the House and

Senate to take up and consider their local and uncontested bills calendar on Wednesday and Thursday, April 27th and 28th, 1949.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

House Concurrent Resolution 86

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate for consideration at this time:

H. C. R. No. 86, Directing the enrolling clerk to make certain corrections in H. B. No. 120.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Reports of Standing Committees

By unanimous consent the following reports were submitted at this time:

Senator Bell submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
April 28, 1949.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred Senate Bill 17, have had same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed as amended.

BELL, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,
April 28, 1949.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Public Health, to whom was referred Senate Bill 326, have had same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

BELL, Chairman.

Senator Tynan submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
April 28, 1949.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence, to whom was referred H. C. R. No. 80, have had the same under consideration, and I am

instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

TYNAN, Chairman.

Calendar for Local and Uncontested Bills

The President pro tempore announced that the hour heretofore agreed upon for a calendar to consider local and uncontested bills had arrived.

Committee Substitute Senate Bill 256 On Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

C. S. S. B. No. 256, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 7 of S. B. 269, Acts 1945, 49th Legislature, p. 629, Ch. 358, to specifically permit any person, firm or corporation to sell, install or connect any butane gas appliance without a license to do so from the Railroad Commission; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 256 on Third Reading

Senator Morris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 256 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 232 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 232, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the sale by the Board of Regents of the State Teachers Colleges of one tract of land and trade and exchange a second tract for another tract, all situated in Hunt County; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Morris offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 232, Line 3, of Section 1, by striking out the words "any purchaser or purchasers," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "the highest bidder."

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 232 on Third Reading

Senator Morris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended, and that S. B. No. 232 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Carney
Ashley	Colson
Bell	Corbin
Bracewell	Cousins
Bullock	Hardeman

Harris	Moore
Hazlewood	Morris
Hudson	Phillips
Jones	Proffer
Kelley of Hidalgo	Shofner
Kelly of Tarrant	Strauss
Lane	Taylor
Lock	Tynan
Martin	Vick
McDonald	Weinert
Moffett	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 191 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 191, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the sale of all or any portion of three tracts of land owned by The Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, situated in the John P. Cole seven and one-half (7½) league grant in Burleson County; prescribing the manner and terms of sale; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Moore offered the following committee amendments to the bill:

(1)

Amend the caption of Senate Bill No. 191 by adding the words "and deposition of funds;" following the words "prescribing the manner and terms of sale."

(2)

Amend Senate Bill No. 191 by add-

ing a section just before Section 3 which would read: "The funds derived from the sale of this property shall be deposited in the local funds account of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas."

The committee amendments were severably adopted.

Senator Moore offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill 191, Section 1, by adding the words "to the highest bidder" following the word "sell" and before the word "for" on line 18.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 191 on Third Reading

Senator Moore moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 191 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Colson
Ashley	Corbin
Bell	Cousins
Bracewell	Hardeman
Bullock	Harris
Carney	Hazlewood

Hudson	Morris
Jones	Phillips
Kelley of Hidalgo	Proffer
Kelly of Tarrant	Shofner
Lane	Strauss
Lock	Taylor
Martin	Tynan
McDonald	Vick
Moffett	Weinert
Moore	

Senate Bill 450 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 450, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that corporations may be created to, or after being created may amend their charters so as to engage in the business of operating terminals for aircraft; providing for additional powers; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 450 on Third Reading

Senator Kelly of Tarrant moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 450 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 270 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 270, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the salaries to be paid certain officials and employees in counties having a population in excess of one hundred ninety thousand (190,000) inhabitants and not more than three hundred thirty-eight thousand (338,000) inhabitants; providing for a savings clause; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Cousins offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. 270 by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. In all counties in this State having a population in excess of One Hundred Ninety Thousand (190,000) inhabitants and not more than Three Hundred Thirty-eight Thousand (338,000) inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census, special or general, the County Commissioners and the County Treasurer in such counties shall receive a salary of not less than Four Thousand Two Hundred (\$4,200.00) Dollars.

Section 2. In all counties in this State having a population in excess of One Hundred Ninety Thousand (190,000) inhabitants and not more than Three Hundred Thirty-eight Thousand (338,000) inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census, special or general, the District Clerk, Sheriff,

Tax Assessor and Collector and County Clerk, shall be paid an annual salary of not less than Five Thousand Two Hundred (\$5,200.00) Dollars per year, and further, that all deputies and assistants of the above officers, and jailers and turnkeys shall be paid not less than One Thousand Eight Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars a year; and provided further that the above named officials may employ part-time employees with the approval and consent of the Commissioners' Court at a salary to be set by the Commissioners' Court.

Section 3. That Section 5, Article 5142b, Title 82, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended by the Acts of the Forty-ninth Legislature, Regular Session, page 251, Chapter 185, be, and the same is hereby amended to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 5. The compensation of all the Probation Officers shall be fixed by the Juvenile Board subject to the approval of the County Commissioners' Court at not less than Three Thousand Six Hundred (\$3,600.00) Dollars per year for the Chief Probation Officer and not less than One Thousand Eight Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars per year for assistants and deputies, such sum to be paid monthly by the County."

Section 4. That a new Section be added to Article 5142b, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, to read as follows:

"Sec. 17. The Commissioners' Court is authorized to furnish such Probation Officers automobiles to be used in the official work of the Probation Department, and provide for the maintenance and operation of same.

"If the Commissioners' Court does not furnish automobiles to the Probation Officers in the discharging of their duties, it shall allow such Probation Officers such reasonable amounts as may be necessary for the use and operation of their personally owned automobiles. The Commissioners' Court shall allow such Probation Officers such other expenses as it may think reasonable and proper which are incurred in the discharging of their duties subject to the approval of the County Auditor and such funds as are necessary to maintain and operate the office of the Probation Department."

Section 5. That Section 1 of the Special Laws, 1939, Forty-sixth Legis-

lature, page 602, as amended by Section 1 of the Special Laws, 1939, Forty-sixth Legislature, page 605, as amended by Chapter 288, Acts of the Regular Session of the Fiftieth Legislature, 1947, page 491 is amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Sec. 1. In all counties of this State having a population of more than One Hundred and Ninety Thousand (190,000) inhabitants according to the last preceding Federal Census, general or special, a majority of a Board composed of the Judges of the District Courts and the County Judge of such county, shall appoint a suitable person who shall act as the County Purchasing Agent for such county, who shall hold office, unless removed by said Judges, for a period of two (2) years, or until his successor is appointed and qualified, who shall execute a bond in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000), payable to said county, for the faithful performance of his duties. It shall be the duty of such agent to make all purchases for such county of all supplies, materials and equipment required or used by such county or by a subdivision, officer, or employee thereof, excepting such purposes as may by law be required to be made by competitive bid, and to contract for all repairs to property used by such county, its subdivisions, officers, and employees, except such as by law are required to be contracted for by competitive bid. All purchases made by such agent shall be paid for by warrants drawn by the County Auditor on the County Treasurer of such county as in the manner now provided by law.

"It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, other than such purchasing agent, to purchase any supplies, materials and equipment for, or to contract for any repairs to property used by, such county or subdivision, officer, or employee thereof, and no warrant shall be drawn by the County Auditor or honored by the County Treasurer of any such county for any purchases except by such agent and those made by competitive bid as now provided by law. On the first day of July of each year such purchasing agent shall file with the County Auditor and each of said Judges of such county an inventory of all property of the county and of each subdivision, officer, or employee thereof then on hand, and it shall be the duty of the County Auditor to care-

fully examine such inventory and to make an accounting for all property purchased or previously inventoried and not appearing in such inventory. In order to prevent unnecessary purchases, such agent shall have authority and it shall be his duty to transfer county supplies, materials, and equipment from any subdivision, department, officer, or employee of the county when such supplies, materials, or equipment are not actually needed or used by such subdivision, department, officer, or employee to any such subdivision, department, officer, or employee that may require such supplies and materials, or the use of such equipment; and such agent shall furnish to the County Auditor a list of such supplies, materials, and equipment so transferred. Such agent shall receive as compensation for his services a salary to be fixed by the Board of Judges appointing him, but to be not less than Thirty-six Hundred Dollars (\$3,600) per year, said salary as fixed to be payable in equal monthly installments. Eighty percent (80%) of such salary shall be paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund and twenty percent (20%) out of the General Fund of such county, by warrant drawn on the County Treasurer by the County Auditor. Said Agent may have one or more assistants as deemed necessary by said Board of Judges, who shall receive as compensation for their services a salary of not less than Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800) per year, payable in equal monthly installments. Said Agent and said assistants may have such help, equipment, supplies and travelling expenses with the approval of said Board of Judges, as they may deem advisable, the amount of said expenses to be approved by said Board.

The provisions of this Act shall apply only to those counties where the responsibility for appointing the Purchasing Agent is vested in the several District Judges and the County Judge of said county or counties, acting as a board."

Section 6. The Commissioners' Court, at its first regular meeting after the effective date of this Act, and thereafter at the first regular meeting in January of each year shall, by order made and entered upon the minutes of the Court, fix the salaries of all officers, deputies and assistants mentioned herein within the limits

as provided for in this Act. Said salaries shall be paid in twelve (12) monthly installments; provided, however, that the salaries of all officers, deputies and assistants mentioned herein from the effective date of this Act for the remainder of the year 1949, shall be paid on the same ratio basis as the remainder of the year bears to the total annual salary provided herein and shall be paid in monthly installments.

Section 7. That Article 1041a of the Revised Code of Criminal Procedure of Texas, being Acts, 1933, Forty-third Legislature, First Called Session, page 151, Chapter 51, as amended by Acts, 1947, 50th Legislature, Regular Session, page 1011, Chapter 429, and all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 8. If any section, subsection, paragraph, phrase or word of this Act is held to be invalid, such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Act and the Legislature hereby declares that it would have enacted such remaining portions despite such invalidity.

Section 9. The fact that under the present law there is no adequate or uniform provision provided for the salaries of the County officials and employees and assistants in counties having a population of not less than One Hundred Ninety Thousand (190,000) inhabitants and not more than Three Hundred Thirty-eight Thousand (338,000) inhabitants creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said Rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 270 on Third Reading

Senator Cousins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 270 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 60 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 60, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1, Article 7335a, Acts of the Fourth Called Session, 41st Legislature, 1930, Page 9, Chapter 8, so as to include cities, towns and independent school districts within the provisions of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 60 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be

read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 60 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 128 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 128, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a special road law for Reagan County, Texas, providing that said County may fund or refund the indebtedness outstanding against its Road and Bridge Fund as of February 20, 1949, setting forth the method of operation; validating the in-

debtedness proposed to be funded or refunded; validating all acts and proceedings heretofore had by the Commissioners' Court of said County, and officers thereof, in respect to the funding or refunding of said indebtedness; providing this law shall be cumulative of general laws on the subject of roads and bridges and general laws on funding and refunding bonds not in conflict herewith; enacting provisions incident and relating to the subject and purpose of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 128 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 128 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Cousins
Ashley	Hardeman
Bell	Harris
Bracewell	Hazlewood
Bullock	Hudson
Carney	Jones
Colson	Kelley of Hidalgo
Corbin	Kelly of Tarrant

Lane	Proffer
Lock	Shofner
Martin	Strauss
McDonald	Taylor
Moffett	Tynan
Moore	Vick
Morris	Weinert
Phillips	

Senate Bill 299 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 299, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing the name of the School or College of Mines and Metallurgy at El Paso to the 'Texas State College of Mines and Arts'; providing a changed meaning of the 'School or College of Mines and Metallurgy at El Paso,' or any reference thereto, wherever such name or reference appears in the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925, or any amendments thereto, or in any Acts of the Legislature, or in any Constitutional Amendment; ratifying, confirming, and validating in behalf of the School or College of Mines and Metallurgy at El Paso all legislative acts, appropriations, and Constitutional Amendments heretofore passed or adopted in behalf of the School or College of Mines and Metallurgy at El Paso; providing that funds allocated to and bonds or notes authorized to be issued by the College of Mines and Metallurgy under Section 17 of Article 7, Constitution of Texas, shall be allocated to and bonds or notes issued by and in the name of 'Texas State College of Mines and Arts'; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Hudson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 299 by striking out the words "Texas State College of Mines and Arts" where they appear in lines 10 and 11; lines 26 and 27; line 31; line 38; lines 46 and 47; lines 54 and 55; and line 62; and insert in lieu thereof in each of these lines the following: "Texas Western College of the University of Texas."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Hudson and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 299 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 299 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 95 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 95, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 7661 of Chapter 2, of Title 128, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925; providing an optional method of estab-

lishing a Board of Equalization for districts referred to therein, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 95 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 95 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 355 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 355, A bill to be entitled "An Act to ratify and validate the proceedings of Maverick County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1 in connection with the issuance of refunding bonds and improvement bonds in 1935 and 1936, including a special assessment; ratifying and validating the proceedings of the District in connection with the issuance of its two 1948 bond series, including tax levy, provision for bond reserve, emergency fund assessments, and water charges, contract for sale of water for power and its assignment, and ratifying and extending the special assessment; and to empower the District to issue refunding bonds and improvement bonds; providing a savings clause and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 355 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 355 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bracewell
Ashley	Bullock
Bell	Carney

Colson	McDonald
Corbin	Moffett
Cousins	Moore
Hardeman	Morris
Harris	Phillips
Hazlewood	Proffer
Hudson	Shofner
Jones	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Taylor
Kelly of Tarrant	Tynan
Lane	Vick
Lock	Weinert
Martin	

Senate Bill 320 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 320, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the annexation of territory and the extension of the boundaries of all cities and towns incorporated under the General Laws and having a population of five thousand (5,000) inhabitants or less, according to the last preceding Federal Census; validating all areas, boundaries, elections, election orders, election proceedings, petitions and ordinances, annexing territory or extending and prescribing the corporate limits of any such city or town; providing that this Act shall not apply in cases where litigation affecting such annexation to or extension of boundaries is now pending; or which within one hundred (100) days after this bill becomes a law may become involved in litigation; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 320 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 320 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Corbin
Ashley	Cousins
Bell	Hardeman
Bracewell	Harris
Bullock	Hazlewood
Carney	Jones
Colson	Hudson

Kelley of Hidalgo	Phillips
Kelly of Tarrant	Proffer
Lane	Shofner
Lock	Strauss
Martin	Taylor
McDonald	Tynan
Moffett	Vick
Moore	Weinert
Morris	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 206 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 206, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 279a, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, Acts 1935, 44th Legislature, page 670, Chapter 281, Section 1, to include Veterans Administration, and the Administrator of Veterans Affairs in exemption from bond; repealing all laws in conflict; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 206 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 206 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 370 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 370, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 1, Title of the R.C.S. of Texas, 1925, as the same has been amended, by amending Articles 2461, 2462, 2464, 2465, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2477, and 2484 thereof, and by adding thereto an article to be numbered Article 2484-b; containing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Taylor offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 370, Section 11,

page 10, line 5, by placing a period (.) after the word "Salary" and striking out the remainder of the sentence.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 370 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 370 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin*	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 148 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid be-

fore the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 148, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Title 5, Articles 176 and 176A of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, by adding a new article to be designated as Article 176B, providing that Reports of Alien Ownership of Land may be filed on before Six Months from the time the occasion arises for filing such report; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 148 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 148 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hazlewood
Ashley	Hudson
Bell	Jones
Bracewell	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bullock	Kelly of Tarrant
Carney	Lane
Colson	Lock
Corbin	Martin
Cousins	McDonald
Hardeman	Moffett
Harris	Moore

Morris
Phillips
Proffer
Shofner
Strauss

Taylor
Tynan
Vick
Weinert

Senate Bill 422 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 422, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a County Court at Law of Nueces County, Texas, and prescribing its jurisdiction, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 422 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 422 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Corbin
Ashley	Cousins
Bell	Hardeman
Bracewell	Harris
Bullock	Hazlewood
Carney	Hudson
Colson	Jones

Kelley of Hidalgo	Phillips
Kelly of Tarrant	Proffer
Lane	Shofner
Lock	Strauss
Martin	Taylor
McDonald	Tynan
Moffett	Vick
Moore	Weinert
Morris	

Senate Bill 360 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 360, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing certain types of property defined therein as 'Urban Property,' situated within, and subject to taxation by, certain types of water control and improvement districts or water improvement districts, described in the Act, now existing or hereafter to be created, to be excluded from such districts by proceedings and upon conditions prescribed in the Act; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 360 by striking out all of the last paragraph in Section 1 on page 1, commencing with line 30 and ending with line 35 thereof and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"The term 'District' as herein used means a water control and improvement district now existing or hereafter created for the principal purpose of or principally engaged in furnishing water for farm irrigation purposes and whose main supply canal first enters its boundaries at a point not less than 10 miles nor more than 20 miles from the point where its principal water supply is diverted from the source of such supply, and the farthest portion of whose territory from the point where said main supply canal first enters its boundaries is not less than 15 nor more than 20 miles from such point of entry."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Kelley of Hidalgo and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 360 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 360 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 405 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 405, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subdivision 107 of Article 199 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by H. B. No. 574, Chapter 300, Acts of the Regular Session of the 49th

Legislature, 1945, by adding thereto another Section to be known as Section 5a, providing for certain County Court jurisdiction in Willacy County to be placed in the 107th District Court; removing such jurisdiction from the County Court of Willacy County; providing for the transfer of cases from said County Court to said District Court; repealing all laws in conflict herewith to the extent of such conflict and making this Act cumulative of all existing laws governing such Courts; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 405 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 405 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Jones	Tynan
Hudson	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hardeman
Ashley	Harris
Bell	Hazlewood
Bracewell	Hudson
Bullock	Jones
Carney	Kelley of Hidalgo
Colson	Kelly of Tarrant
Corbin	Lane
Cousins	Lock

Martin	Shofner
McDonald	Strauss
Moffett	Taylor
Moore	Tynan
Morris	Vick
Phillips	Weinert
Proffer	

**Committee Substitute
Senate Bill 335 on Second Reading**

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

C.S.S.B. No. 335, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the creation within this State, under and by virtue of Section 59, Article 16, of the Constitution, of districts to be known as port and navigation districts including within their boundaries a city containing 75,000 population or more, according to the preceding or any future Federal census; providing this Act shall be cumulative; providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Cousins offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend the Committee Substitute to Senate Bill No. 335, by adding a new sub-section to Section 2, thereof, such sub-section to be known as sub-section (j), and to read as follows:

"(j) Nothing contained in this Act shall be construed as granting this Navigation District or the Commissioners of said District any power or authority over the appointment, operations or conduct of the Branch Pilots of the Sabine Bar and the Pilots Commission of the Sabine Bar. It is the intent of this Legislature to exclude the Branch Pilots of the Sabine Bar and Tributaries and the Commissioners thereof from any part of the operation of this Act."

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

**Committee Substitute
Senate Bill 335 on Third Reading**

Senator Cousins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that C. S. S. B. No. 335 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 428 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 428, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 7583 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as heretofore amended by Chapter 49 of the Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, 1935, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Carney offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 428 by inserting a new section between Section 1 and Section 2, to be known as "Section 1a", and reading as follows:

"Section 1a. If any section, paragraph, sentence or clause of this Act shall be held invalid, unconstitutional or inoperative, this shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Act, but the remainder of the Act shall be given effect as if such invalid, unconstitutional or inoperative portion had not been included."

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Carney offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 428 by adding the word "such" in line 20 after the word "any".

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 428 on Third Reading

Senator Carney moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 428 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Jones	Tynan
Hudson	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Carney
Ashley	Colson
Bell	Corbin
Bracewell	Cousins
Bullock	Hardeman

Harris	Moore
Hazlewood	Morris
Hudson	Phillips
Jones	Proffer
Kelley of Hidalgo	Shofner
Kelly of Tarrant	Strauss
Lane	Taylor
Lock	Tynan
Martin	Vick
McDonald	Weinert
Moffett	

Senate Bill 452 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 452, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioner of the General Land Office to reinstate sales of land in Fisher County forfeited prior to September 1, 1941, and on which applications have been filed for reinstatement prior to April 15, 1949, and on which there are no intervening rights of a third person; providing that payment of all principal and interest shall be made prior to reinstatement; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 452 on Third Reading

Senator Bullock moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 452 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 395 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 395, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Courts of two or more counties, each having a population under Twenty-five Thousand (25,000) according to the last United States Census, to make an arrangement and agreement for the employment and compensation of a county auditor; providing for the appointment and qualification of such county auditor; prescribing his duties; fixing the salary and term of office; and providing that he shall be the County Purchasing Agent in each county; and providing that the provisions of this law shall be cumulative of all other provisions of the laws pertaining to county auditors; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Colson offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 395 by striking out all of Paragraph 3 of Section 1, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Such County Auditor shall be appointed for a term of two years from and after such appointment. The annual salary to be paid such County Auditor by each County, shall be fixed by the District Judge or District Judges at a sum not in excess of \$3,000.00 for each county. Provided, that where such County Auditor

serves more than two counties under such arrangement or agreement, his total annual compensation shall not exceed \$7,500.00 from all of said counties. Such annual salary shall be paid out of the General Fund of the counties in twelve (12) equal monthly payments."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Colson and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 395 on Third Reading

Senator Colson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 395 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hazlewood
Ashley	Hudson
Bell	Jones
Bracewell	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bullock	Kelly of Tarrant
Carney	Lane
Colson	Lock
Corbin	Martin
Cousins	McDonald
Hardeman	Moffett
Harris	Moore

Morris
Phillips
Proffer
Shofner
Strauss

Taylor
Tynan
Vick
Weinert

Senate Bill 31 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 31, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 45 of Senate Bill 111, Chapter 61, Page 100, of the General Laws passed by the Second Called Session of the 41st Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Bell offered the following Committee Amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill 31 by striking out of "Sec. 45", the first paragraph thereof and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"It shall be unlawful for any building and loan association organized under the laws of this state, or any building and loan association authorized to do business in this state under a permit to charge investing members a membership fee, cancellation fee or withdrawal fee."

The Committee Amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 31 on Third Reading

Senator Bell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 31 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hazlewood
Ashley	Hudson
Bell	Jones
Bracewell	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bullock	Kelly of Tarrant
Carney	Lane
Colson	Lock
Corbin	Martin
Cousins	McDonald
Hardeman	Moffett
Harris	Moore

Morris
Phillips
Proffer
Shofner
Strauss

Taylor
Tynan
Vick
Weinert

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 181 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 181, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the better care, maintenance and treatment of the aged senile in both the state hospitals and the Austin State School; providing for the creation of the Mexia State Home at Mexia, Texas, as an institution for the care and treatment of the aged senile persons transferred from other institutions; authorizing the State Board of Control to transfer and maintain at said home, as a senile custodial institution, any aged senile person now or hereafter committed and/or admitted to a state hospital or the Austin State School; providing for the furlough or discharge of such persons; authorizing the State Board of Control to establish senile divisions within the state mental hospitals for the care of the aged senile and, further, authorizing the State Board of Control to transfer to such divisions any aged senile feeble-minded person now or hereafter committed or admitted to the Austin State School; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Aikin offered the following Committee Amendments to the bill:

(Committee Amendment No. 1)

Amend S. B. No. 181 by striking out all above the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

**A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED**

"An Act to provide for the better care, maintenance and treatment of the aged senile in both the state hospitals and the Austin State School; providing for the creation of the Mexia State School and Home at Mexia, Texas, as an institution for the care and treatment of aged senile persons transferred from other institutions; authorizing the State Board of Control to transfer and maintain at said institution, as a senile custodial institution, any aged senile person now or hereafter committed and/or admitted to a state hospital or the Austin State School; providing for the furlough or discharge of such persons; authorizing the State Board of Control to continue the operations of a school for the feeble-minded at said institution as such is now being operated; authorizing the State Board of Control to establish senile divisions within the state mental hospitals for the care of the aged senile and further authorizing the State Board of Control to transfer to such divisions any aged senile, feeble-minded person now or hereafter committed or admitted to the Austin State School; and declaring an emergency."

(Committee Amendment No. 2)

Amend S. B. No. 181 by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. From and after the passage of this Act, the institution located at Mexia, Texas, shall be referred to as the Mexia State School and Home. The State Board of Control is authorized to transfer from any state hospital or the Austin State School to the Mexia State School and Home any aged senile person now being maintained in such state hospitals or the Austin State School, or hereafter committed and/or admitted thereto, and custody of such aged senile person is hereby placed in the Mexia State School and Home.

Sec. 2. The State Board of Con-

trol shall have the right to cause to be admitted to the Mexia State School and Home any aged person after such person has been adjudged insane or feeble-minded upon receipt of the certified transcript in the manner prescribed by law.

Sec. 3. The Superintendent of the Mexia State School and Home may, upon the recommendation of the chief physician employed at said Institution, grant any aged senile person confined therein a furlough or discharge in the same manner by which such aged senile persons are now released from the state hospitals or the Austin State School. Said Mexia State School and Home shall be and is hereby made a custodial institution for the care, maintenance and treatment of aged senile persons.

Sec. 4. It is the Legislative intent that the foregoing provisions of this Act shall not apply to the operation of the school for the feeble-minded at the Mexia State School and Home and the Board of Control is hereby authorized to continue to use a part of said institution as a school for the training of feeble-minded persons transferred to such institution from the Austin State School.

Sec. 5. The State Board of Control is hereby authorized to establish aged senile divisions at the Austin State Hospital, Big Spring State Hospital, Rusk State Hospital, San Antonio State Hospital, Terrell State Hospital, and Wichita Falls State Hospital, for the care, maintenance and treatment of aged senile feeble-minded and said Board is further authorized to transfer to such divisions within the said hospitals any aged senile feeble-minded person now or hereafter committed or admitted to the Austin State School and such person shall be restrained in said division pursuant to the laws now governing the operation of the Austin State School and feeble-minded proceedings.

Sec. 6. The fact that at the present time there is no institution in the State of Texas which cares exclusively for aged senile persons; that the Austin State School is handicapped in its efforts as a school because such persons cannot be taught or rehabilitated; and the persons can be transferred nearer to their homes, enabling relatives to visit them more often, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended and said rule

is hereby suspended and that this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The Committee Amendments were severally adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 181 on Third Reading

Senator Aikin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 181 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 418 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 418, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and instructing the Board of Regents of the State Teachers Colleges of Texas to sell and convey two (2) tracts of land in the City of Denton, Denton County, Texas, at private or public sale.

The bill was read second time.

Senator Proffer offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 418, Section 1, by striking out the words "or private" in line 3 of Section 1 and the same words in the caption so as to provide that any sale of said tracts shall be public.

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Proffer and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 418 on Third Reading

Senator Proffer moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 418 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 231 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 231, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate fishing in Lake Texoma, providing for license fees and a division of fees between Texas and Oklahoma, and empowering the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission to put the law in effect, repealing conflicting laws, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 231, Sections 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, by striking out the words "Five-Day Fishing License" wherever they appear and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Ten-Day Fishing License."

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 231, page 1, Section 4, by striking out the figures \$2.50 and inserting in lieu thereof the figures \$5.00.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 231, page 2, Section 9, by striking out Section 9, and renumbering sections to conform.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Jones offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill No. 231, page 1, Section 3, by striking out the word and figures, "August 31," and inserting in lieu thereof the following word and figures, "December 31".

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 231 on Third Reading

Senator Jones moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 231 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 438 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 438, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing credit and resulting benefits to be given members of either the Teachers' Retirement System of Texas and/or the Employees Retirement System of Texas for any prior service creditable under either Chapter 470, Acts Regular Session, Forty-fifth Legislature, as amended, and/or Chapter 352, Acts Regular Session, Fiftieth Legislature, as amended; providing for membership service to be retained in either System after becoming a member of the other Retirement System when a person employed by the State changes positions in his employment by the State requiring him to become a member of the other System; providing eligibility for retirement by reason of such creditable service in both Systems; amending all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Aikin offered the following amendments to the bill:

Amend the bill by striking out all above and all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(1)

**A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED**

"An Act authorizing credit and resulting benefits to be given members of either the Teachers' Retirement System of Texas and/or the Employees Retirement System of Texas for any prior service creditable under either Chapter 470, Acts, Regular Session, Forty-Fifth Legislature, as amended, and/or Chapter 352, Acts, Regular Session, Fiftieth Legislature, as amended; providing for membership service to be retained in either System after becoming a member of the other Retirement System when a person employed by the State changes positions in his employment by the State requiring him to become a member of the other System; providing eligibility for retirement by reason of such creditable employment and total creditable service in both Systems; amending all acts or parts of acts in conflict

herewith; and declaring an emergency."

Whereas, The Teacher Retirement System of Texas under the provisions of Chapter 470, Acts, Regular Session, Forty-fifth Legislature, as amended, and the Employees Retirement System of Texas under the provisions of Chapter 352, Acts, Regular Session, Fiftieth Legislature, as amended, provide retirement benefits for all members who are State employees and pay retirement annuities based upon prior and membership service creditable under the terms of said Acts but only for service accumulated in one System without regard to any service accumulated in the other System; and

Whereas, As a matter of fact, whether such service is creditable under one of said Acts or the other, same was in any event performed in the public service and for the welfare and benefit of the State because any service creditable under the Employees Retirement System Act has or will contribute either directly or indirectly to the instruction offered by and in State supported colleges or institutions or agencies of this State, and vice versa, and inasmuch as State employees in said colleges, institutions or agencies who have service creditable under the Teacher Retirement Act is directly for the benefit of the State; and

Whereas, under said Acts no provision is made for the crediting and allowing of resulting benefits to a person who is a member of the Teacher Retirement System for prior service that would be otherwise creditable under the Employees Retirement System Act, and vice versa, to a person who is a member of the Employees Retirement System for prior service as a State employee that would be otherwise creditable under the Teacher Retirement System Act, and further that when a member of one of the Retirement Systems changes his position of employment with the State to a position of employment with the State covered by the other System, such employee thereby loses all benefits gained and/or of service creditable for retirement purposes under the first employment, although as a matter of fact, both positions are one employment by the State of Texas. This results in working an unfair hardship on such employee and a detriment to the efficient and proper administration of the State's business. Consequently, this situation necessi-

tates the passage of this Act making all prior service as a State employee creditable under one of these Systems to be also creditable under the other in order that a person employed by the State will not be denied by reason of his employment or change of his employment the right to retirement benefits based upon total State service.

(2)

Section 1. Effective September 1, 1949, any person who is a member of either the Teacher Retirement System of Texas under the provisions of Chapter 470, Acts, Regular Session, Forty-fifth Legislature (1937), as amended, or the Employees Retirement System of Texas under the provisions of Chapter 352, Acts, Regular Session, Fiftieth Legislature (1947), as amended, and if such person had also been a member of said System for a period of two years prior to September 1, 1949, and/or if any person became a member of either System after September 1, 1947, but before September 1, 1949, and continued in such employment for a period of five consecutive years, then such member shall be entitled to receive credit and resulting benefits for any and all prior service creditable as prior service for employment under the provisions of either of said Acts and the respective Board of Trustees are hereby instructed to review the prior service of the employees who were members on September 1, 1949, under either Act to permit said members to claim such additional prior service as provided herein and to include same in the prior service certificates to be issued or if a prior service certificate has been issued to adjust and effect an amended prior service certificate after such additional prior service claimed has been properly verified as provided in the provisions of the two Retirement Acts.

Section 2. In the event a member of one of said Retirement Systems shall terminate his employment and within five years return to employment in a position requiring his membership in the other Retirement System, such member shall be entitled to retain his prior service and accumulated membership service credited to him under the first System and the total accumulated creditable service will be eligible for joint retirement under both Systems as provided herein.

Section 3. It is specifically provided however, that no prior service as provided herein shall be granted by either System where said person has previously signed a waiver of all benefits under either System as provided in said Retirement System Acts and provided further that no prior service, and/or membership service shall be granted or made eligible for joint creditable service where such person voluntarily withdrew his contributions under either Retirement System because of termination of employment with the State and thereby cancelled his total accumulated service with such System as provided in each of the two Retirement System Acts.

Section 4. Any person who has accumulated creditable service between both Systems as provided herein may retire with joint creditable service between the two Systems after completing:

a. Twenty (20) years of joint creditable service in Texas and upon attaining the age of sixty (60) years.

b. Twenty-five (25) years of joint creditable service in Texas, although not in service at the time the age of sixty (60) years is attained, but only when the member shall have attained the age of sixty (60) years and only in instances where the member has not withdrawn his contributions from either System.

c. Thirty (30) years of joint creditable service regardless of the age attained.

Section 5. The Board of Trustees of each of the Retirement Systems shall jointly establish rules and regulations to carry out the provisions of this Act and the Comptroller is authorized upon request by one System desiring to make its funds available through the other System to transfer accrued funds and interest from one System to the other for eventual disbursement to the member concerned so as to effectuate the purposes of this Act.

Section 6. All laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are amended in so far as a conflict exists with the provisions of this Act and provided further that the provisions of this Act shall be cumulative to the provisions of Chapter 470, Acts, Regular Session, Forty-fifth Legislature, as amended, and Chapter 352, Acts, Regular Session, Fiftieth Legislature, as amended.

Section 7. If any part of this Act is declared to be invalid or unconsti-

tutional the remainder of this Act shall not thereby be invalidated.

Section 8. The crowded condition of the calendar and the importance of this legislation creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended and said Rule is hereby suspended; and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 438 on Third Reading

Senator Aikin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 438 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Harris
Ashley	Hazlewood
Bell	Hudson
Bracewell	Jones
Bullock	Kelley of Hidalgo
Carney	Kelly of Tarrant
Colson	Lane
Corbin	Lock
Cousins	Martin
Hardeman	McDonald

Moffett	Strauss
Moore	Taylor
Morris	Tynan
Phillips	Vick
Proffer	Weinert
Shofner	

House Bill 104 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1377 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, providing for a more efficient law prohibiting hunting, fishing or camping on the enclosed land of another without the consent of the owner; providing for penalties for the violation thereof; and providing for the arrest of such persons; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Weinert offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend H. B. No. 104 by changing the words and figures "Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00)" to "Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00)" where the same appear on page 1, line 40 of the printed bill.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 104 on Third Reading

Senator Weinert moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 104 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Jones
Ashley	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bell	Kelly of Tarrant
Bracewell	Lane
Bullock	Lock
Carney	Martin
Colson	McDonald
Corbin	Moffett
Cousins	Moore
Hardeman	Morris
Harris	Phillips
Hazlewood	Proffer
Hudson	Shofner

Strauss
Taylor
Tynan

Vick
Weinert

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 608 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 608, A bill to be entitled "An Act regulating use of seines and nets for taking fish in Milam County; prohibiting sale of fish taken from the waters of said county; fixing a penalty for violation hereof; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 608 on Third Reading

Senator Aikin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 608 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Cousins
Ashley	Hardeman
Bell	Harris
Bracewell	Hazlewood
Bullock	Hudson
Carney	Jones
Colson	Kelley of Hidalgo
Corbin	Kelly of Tarrant

Lane
Lock
Martin
McDonald
Moffett
Moore
Morris
Phillips

Proffer
Shofner
Strauss
Taylor
Tynan
Vick
Weinert

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 579 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 579, A bill to be entitled "An Act to appropriate money to pay Judge Delos Finch for services as Special District Judge of the 73rd Judicial District and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 579 on Third Reading

Senator Tynan moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 579 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bracewell
Ashley	Bullock
Bell	Carney

Colson	McDonald
Corbin	Moffett
Cousins	Moore
Hardeman	Morris
Harris	Phillips
Hazlewood	Proffer
Hudson	Shofner
Jones	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Taylor
Kelly of Tarrant	Tynan
Lane	Vick
Lock	Weinert
Martin	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 687 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 687, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the sale and manner of sale of all water and sewer lines owned by the State in Kerr County which are outside of Kerrville State Sanatorium grounds and which connect the Sanatorium water and sewer lines with the City of Kerrville water and sewer lines; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 687 on Third Reading

Senator Proffer moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 687 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 570 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 570, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the transfer of title by the State Board of Control to a tract of land consisting of 47.45 acres, located in the City of Terrell, Kaufman County, Texas, and in exchange for such property so transferred the Board of Control, on behalf of the State of Texas, acting for the use and benefit of the Terrell State Hospital, shall receive a tract of land consisting of 52.5 acres, located in the City of Terrell, Kaufman County, Texas; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 570 on Third Reading

Senator Taylor moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 570 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 105 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 105, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the changing

of the name of John Tarleton Agricultural College, at Stephenville, Erath County, to the 'Tarleton State College,' and providing that wherever such name or reference of name appears in the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925, or any amendment thereto, or in any Acts of any Legislature, passed since the adoption of said Revised Statutes or in any court decisions, shall mean and apply to the new name; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 105 on Third Reading

Senator Shofner moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 105 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bullock	McDonald
Carney	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Corbin	Morris
Cousins	Phillips
Hardeman	Proffer
Harris	Shofner
Hazlewood	Strauss
Hudson	Taylor
Jones	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert

Nays—1

Bracewell

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Hardeman
Ashley	Harris
Bell	Hazlewood
Bullock	Hudson
Carney	Jones
Colson	Kelley of Hidalgo
Corbin	Kelly of Tarrant
Cousins	Lane

Lock	Proffer
Martin	Shofner
McDonald	Strauss
Moffett	Taylor
Moore	Tynan
Morris	Vick
Phillips	Weinert

Nays—1

Bracewell

House Bill 843 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 843, A bill to be entitled "An Act regulating fishing in Bosque County; prescribing a penalty for violation hereof; repealing all laws or parts thereof in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 843 on Third Reading

Senator Shofner moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 843 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bell
Ashley	Bracewell

Bullock	Martin
Carney	McDonald
Colson	Moffett
Corbin	Moore
Cousins	Morris
Hardeman	Phillips
Harris	Proffer
Hazlewood	Shofner
Hudson	Strauss
Jones	Taylor
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Lane	Weinert
Lock	

House Bill 479 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 479, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 3 of House Bill 521, Chapter 100, Acts of the Regular Session of the 44th Legislature, page 255, so as to exempt securities or memberships issued by a religious corporation, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 479 on Third Reading

Senator Strauss moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 479 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 211 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 211, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter XXXIII, Acts of the Twenty-sixth Legislature, Regular Session, 1899, so as to provide for the selection of Judges of the Corporation Courts in cities heretofore or hereafter incorporated under or adopting or amending their Charters under Article 11, Section 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, in the manner specified in the Charters of such cities; validating the selection of the present Judges of such Courts; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 211 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 211 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Colson
Ashley	Corbin
Bell	Cousins
Bracewell	Hardeman
Bullock	Harris
Carney	Hazlewood

Hudson	Morris
Jones	Phillips
Kelley of Hidalgo	Proffer
Kelly of Tarrant	Shofner
Lane	Strauss
Lock	Taylor
Martin	Tynan
McDonald	Vick
Moffett	Weinert
Moore	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 595 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 595, A bill to be entitled "An Act enabling the Game, Fish and Oyster Commission to exchange the Lake Dallas fish hatchery land for land below the proposed Garza-Little Elm dam and to receive reimbursement for any expenses incurred in constructing a hatchery thereon; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 595 on Third Reading

Senator Proffer moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 595 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 435 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 435, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to and providing for the transfer of title to certain educational equipment held by the State Board for Vocational Education; authorizing the State Board for Vocational Education to specify terms for the transfer of title to equipment acquired for operation of programs of Vocational Training for War Production Workers, Food Production War Training Program, and other emergency programs; authorizing the transfer of title to such equipment; naming entities eligible to receive title so transferred; suspending con-

flicting prior Statutes; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading:

House Bill 435 on Third Reading

Senator Ashley moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 435 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 664 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 664, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the board of regents of The Texas State Teachers Colleges to grant, convey and give an easement to the Texas Power & Light Company for the purpose of relocating a high line across the recreational grounds of North Texas State Teachers College at Denton, Texas, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 664 on Third Reading

Senator Proffer moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 664 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Jones
Ashley	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bell	Kelly of Tarrant
Bracewell	Lane
Bullock	Lock
Carney	Martin
Colson	McDonald
Corbin	Moffett
Cousins	Moore
Hardeman	Morris
Harris	Phillips
Hazlewood	Proffer
Hudson	Shofner

Strauss
Taylor
Tynan

Vick
Weinert

House Bill 578 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 578, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing Commissioners of Drainage Districts to join with any government agency, county or political subdivision, any city or town or railroad company or any other person, corporation or association in constructing and maintaining drainage improvements and to pay their portion of the cost thereof; authorizing Commissioners of drainage districts to purchase necessary supplies and equipment and operate the same for the maintenance, enlargement, extension or improvement of the drainage system, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 578 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 578 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 682 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 682, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Sections 1 and 2 of Ch. 128, Acts 50th Leg., Reg. Session, 1947, relating to powers, duties and obligations of cities and towns and water control and improvement districts and fresh water supply districts where such districts have been, or may be, annexed in whole or in part by a city or town; prescribing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Kelly of Tarrant offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill 682 by adding a new sentence at the end of Section 1 of said bill as follows:

"This Act shall not apply in the case of any such district, the territory of which is now situated in more than one incorporated city or town."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Kelly of Tarrant and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 682 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 682 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 741 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 741, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating all time warrants heretofore issued or authorized against the Road and Bridge Fund of Matagorda County, Texas; validating all proceedings of the Commissioners' Court authorizing such warrants including certain specific issues; validating all claims against the Road and Bridge Fund for which time warrants have been authorized or issued to pay and discharge; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 741 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days to be suspended and that H. B. No. 741 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 792 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 792, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the appointment

of an Assistant County Attorney in counties composed of not less than twenty-seven thousand and fifty (27,050) inhabitants, according to the Federal Census of 1940, and not more than twenty-seven thousand and seventy-five inhabitants, according to the Federal Census of 1940, in which said counties there are two (2) or more District Courts; fixing the compensation of said Assistant; providing for the manner in which same shall be paid; providing for the appointment of additional Assistants according to the provisions of Article 3902, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925; containing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 792 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 792 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Carney
Ashley	Colson
Bell	Corbin
Bracewell	Cousins
Bullock	Hardeman

Harris	Moore
Hazlewood	Morris
Hudson	Phillips
Jones	Proffer
Kelley of Hidalgo	Shofner
Kelly of Tarrant	Strauss
Lane	Taylor
Lock	Tynan
Martin	Vick
McDonald	Weinert
Moffett	

House Bill 335 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 335, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioners' Courts of any County to establish, maintain and operate a law library for such county, to provide funds therefor, to receive gifts or bequests therefor, to employ a custodian or custodians of such library, to require a bond or bonds of such custodian or custodians, to make all orders, rules and regulations necessary or proper for the establishment, maintenance and operation of such library, providing for the depositing of such funds with the county treasurer, or other official discharging such duty, and the separation of such funds as a special fund, providing for the establishment and payment of claims on account of such library, and repealing all other laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 335 on Third Reading

Senator Phillips moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 335 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hardeman
Ashley	Harris
Bell	Hazlewood
Bracewell	Hudson
Bullock	Jones
Carney	Kelley of Hidalgo
Colson	Kelly of Tarrant
Corbin	Lane
Cousins	Lock

Martin	Shofner
McDonald	Strauss
Moffett	Taylor
Moore	Tynan
Morris	Vick
Phillips	Weinert
Proffer	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 360 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 360, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Subsection R of Section 1 and Subsection 2 of Subsection B of Section 5 of Article 6228a of Title 109, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 360 on Third Reading

Senator Harris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 360 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bracewell
Ashley	Bullock
Bell	Carney

Colson	McDonald
Corbin	Moffett
Cousins	Moore
Hardeman	Morris
Harris	Phillips
Hazlewood	Proffer
Hudson	Shofner
Jones	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Taylor
Kelly of Tarrant	Tynan
Lane	Vick
Lock	Weinert
Martin	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 462 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 462, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 977 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925 and Article 999 by adding Article 999a; allowing the governing body of any city less than 5,000 and more than 3,000 to dispense with the office of City Marshal; allowing the governing body of such cities to appoint a City Police Officer; providing a savings clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 462 on Third Reading

Senator Moore moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be sus-

pending and that H. B. No. 462 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 574 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 574, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending the Texas Fertilizer Laws by (1) repealing the requirement that fertilizer inspection tags be attached to containers of commercial fertilizers sold, exposed or offered for sale in this State, and by (2) requiring the payment of an inspection fee on the basis of quar-

terly tonnage reports of commercial fertilizers sold or distributed for sale in this State."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 574 on Third Reading

Senator Aikin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 574 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 727 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid be-

fore the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 727, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it unlawful to transport minnows of any kind and all species outside of the counties wherein such minnows are caught, seined, or taken; provided that this Act shall only apply to persons, firms, or corporations transporting minnows caught, seined, or taken from the waters of the Counties of Hardeman and Foard; providing prima facie evidence as to possession; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing a penalty for the violation of this Act, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 727 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 727 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Carney
Ashley	Colson
Bell	Corbin
Bracewell	Cousins
Bullock	Hardeman

Harris	Moore
Hazlewood	Morris
Hudson	Phillips
Jones	Proffer
Kelley of Hidalgo	Shofner
Kelly of Tarrant	Strauss
Lane	Taylor
Lock	Tynan
Martin	Vick
McDonald	Weinert
Moffett	

House Bill 115 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 115, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the appointment and salary of stenographers or secretaries for County Judges in certain counties in Texas; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 115 on Third Reading

Senator Martin moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 115 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 285 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 285, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Section 3 of Chapter 154, Acts 1941, 47th Legislature, page 224; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 285 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 285 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 676 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 676, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the governing body of any city which is operating under a home rule charter, and which city on the effective date of this Act owns and is operating a public parking lot or lots, to issue negotiable revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing, building, and erecting buildings and other permanent improvements on said public parking lot or lots for the public parking or storage of motor vehicles, such bonds to be secured solely by a pledge of net revenue derived from the operation of said parking lot or lots and the buildings and other permanent improvements thereon; providing certain conditions relating to the issuance of such bonds; providing for the execution thereof; authorizing the employment of personnel; providing for the charging of fees and tolls for the use thereof; exempting bonds from certain taxes; containing a severability provision; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 676 on Third Reading

Senator McDonald moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 676 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 292 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 292, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the compensation of the Judges of County Court at Law and providing for the payment thereof in counties having a population of not less than two hundred and twenty-five thousand (225,000) according to the last preceding Federal Census and having only one County Court at Law; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith to the extent of such conflict; defining County Court at Law; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 292 on Third Reading

Senator Kelly of Tarrant moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 292 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 372 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 372, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a special road law

for Presidio County, Texas, providing that said county may fund or refund the indebtedness outstanding against its Road and Bridge Fund as of January 1, 1949, setting forth the method of operation; validating the indebtedness proposed to be funded or refunded; validating all acts and proceedings heretofore had by the commissioners' court of said county, and officers thereof, in respect to the funding or refunding of said indebtedness; providing this law shall be cumulative of General Laws on the subject of roads and bridges and General Laws on funding or refunding bonds, not in conflict herewith; enacting provisions incident and relating to the subject and purpose of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 372 on Third Reading

Senator Hudson moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 372 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bracewell
Ashley	Bullock
Bell	Carney

Colson	McDonald
Corbin	Moffett
Cousins	Moore
Hardeman	Morris
Harris	Phillips
Hazlewood	Proffer
Hudson	Shofner
Jones	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Taylor
Kelly of Tarrant	Tynan
Lane	Vick
Lock	Weinert
Martin	

House Bill 160 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 160, A bill to be entitled "An Act permitting certain county line school districts to hold election to change the administrative jurisdiction of the school district to the county of the choice of the majority of the voters of the school district; the election to be called upon petition of the voters of the district; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 160 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 160 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 587 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 587, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing Counties of this State to purchase road machinery and equipment by and through the State Board of Control; prescribing the method therefor; providing this Act shall be cumulative; providing a severability clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 587 on Third Reading

Senator Kelly of Tarrant moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 587 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Hudson
Ashley	Jones
Bell	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bracewell	Kelly of Tarrant
Bullock	Lane
Carney	Lock
Colson	Martin
Corbin	McDonald
Cousins	Moffett
Hardeman	Moore
Harris	Morris
Hazlewood	Phillips

Proffer	Tynan
Shofner	Vick
Strauss	Weinert
Taylor	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 710 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 710, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 6 of House Bill No. 961, Chapter 458, Acts of the 47th Legislature, Regular Session, 1941, authorizing the Commissioners' Court of Dallas County, Texas, to purchase or condemn property for the construction, maintenance, and operation or in aid thereof of public roads; prescribing rules and regulations and procedure by which such purchases or condemnation may be accomplished or effected; providing compensation to Commissioners of Appraisement for their services per day; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 710 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 710 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 508 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 508, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Art. 432 of the Penal Code so as to provide that same shall not apply to persons holding offices or positions for two (2) years prior to the time an officer or board member related to them takes office; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 508 on Third Reading

Senator Harris moved that the con-

stitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 508 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 283 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 283, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a conservation and reclamation district under the provisions of Section 59, Article 16 of the Constitution to be known as 'Lower Nueces River Water Supply District,'

enacting other provisions relating to the subject, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 283 by striking out of the Engrossed Bill on Page 4, Lines 11 and 12 thereof, the following words: "The City Council of the City of Corpus Christi, Texas," and substituting in lieu thereof the following words: "The County Judge of Nueces County, Texas."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Kelley of Hidalgo, and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 283 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 283 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bell
Ashley	Bracewell

Bullock	Martin
Carney	McDonald
Colson	Moffett
Corbin	Moore
Cousins	Morris
Hardeman	Phillips
Harris	Proffer
Hazlewood	Shofner
Hudson	Strauss
Jones	Taylor
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Lane	Weinert
Lock	

**Committee Substitute House Bill 442
on Second Reading**

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

C.S.H.B. No. 442, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for a Board of Park Commissioners for the equipping, operation and maintenance of public parks owned by certain counties, and providing for the delegation of those counties to such board of control of such parks; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

**Committee Substitute House Bill 442
on Third Reading**

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that C.S.H.B. No. 442 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 318 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 318, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1 of Chapter 87, Acts of the Fiftieth Legislature, 1947, page 149, by adding another section thereto to be known as Section 1c; and providing that it shall be lawful to take shrimp from certain territorial waters under certain conditions outside of and exclusive of inland bays and waters; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 318 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 318 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Corbin
Ashley	Cousins
Bell	Hardeman
Bracewell	Harris
Bullock	Hazlewood
Carney	Hudson
Colson	Jones

Kelley of Hidalgo	Phillips
Kelly of Tarrant	Proffer
Lane	Shofner
Lock	Strauss
Martin	Taylor
McDonald	Tynan
Moffett	Vick
Moore	Weinert
Morris	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 495 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 495, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing an open season on buck deer, wild turkey and quail in La Salle County; repealing all laws in conflict therewith; fixing a penalty; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 495 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 495 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bell
Ashley	Bracewell

Bullock	Martin
Carney	McDonald
Colson	Moffett
Corbin	Moore
Cousins	Morris
Hardeman	Phillips
Harris	Proffer
Hazlewood	Shofner
Hudson	Strauss
Jones	Taylor
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Lane	Weinert
Lock	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 744 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 744, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1370, Revised Penal Code of 1925; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 744 on Third Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 744 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 738 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 738, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District Number 3-A, Hardin County, Texas, and specifically setting out its boundaries, including therein a portion of the territory embraced in Road District Number 3; authorizing the Commissioners' Court to continue to levy an ad valorem tax in such territory for the payment of its pro rata share of the principal and interest on all outstanding bonds of Road District Number 3; authorizing the issuance of bonds by the newly created Road District in the manner and at such times as provided by the General

Laws of Texas for the issuance of bonds by Road Districts, without the necessity of voting and issuing compensation bonds and in conformity with Article 3, Section 52, of the Constitution of Texas; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 738 on Third Reading

Senator Cousins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 738 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 739 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 739, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District Number 4, Hardin County, Texas, and specifically setting out its boundaries, including therein a portion of the territory embraced in Road District Number 3; authorizing the Commissioners' Court to continue to levy an ad valorem tax in such territory for the payment of its pro rata share of the principal and interest on all outstanding bonds of Road District Number 3; authorizing the issuance of bonds by the newly created Road District in the manner and at such times as provided by the General Laws of Texas for the issuance of bonds by Road Districts, without the necessity of voting and issuing compensation bonds, and in conformity with Article 3, Section 52, of the Constitution of Texas; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 739 on Third Reading

Senator Cousins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 739 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 740 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 740, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District Number 5, Hardin County, Texas, and specifically setting out its boundaries, including therein a portion of the territory embraced in Road District Number 3; authorizing the Commissioners' Court to continue to levy an ad valorem tax in such territory for the payment of its pro rata share of the principal and interest on all outstanding bonds of Road District Number 3; authorizing the issuance of bonds by the newly created Road District in the manner and at such times as provided by the General Laws of Texas for the issuance of bonds by Road Districts, without the necessity of voting and issuing compensation bonds, and in conformity with Article 3, Section 52, of the Constitution of Texas; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 740 on Third Reading

Senator Cousins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 740 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bell
Ashley	Bracewell

Bullock	Martin
Carney	McDonald
Colson	Moffett
Corbin	Moore
Cousins	Morris
Hardeman	Phillips
Harris	Proffer
Hazlewood	Shofner
Hudson	Strauss
Jones	Taylor
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Lane	Weinert
Lock	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 164 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 164, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating the sum of Forty-four Hundred (\$4,400.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy and pay, according to the terms thereof, that certain judgment rendered against The State of Texas and the Highway Department of the State of Texas in favor of Ed Davis and wife, Cora Davis, in Cause No. 7415, in the District Court of Haskell County, Texas, in the 39th Judicial District of Texas, such judgment having become final and no appeal prosecuted therefrom; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 164 on Third Reading

Senator Bullock moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 164 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 460 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 460, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 221, H. B. No. 771, Acts of the 50th Legislature, making it unlawful to take or kill wild deer or turkey in the County of Tay-

lor, of Texas, for a period of ten (10) years, and providing it shall be unlawful to have in possession deer or turkey killed during said period; prescribing penalty for violation of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 460 on Third Reading

Senator Bullock moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 460 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 851 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 851, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize and empower navigation districts heretofore or hereafter organized, containing a municipality of 300,000 population or more by the last or any future federal census, to provide for and administer a retirement disability and death compensation fund for officers and employees of the district, when it has been authorized by a majority vote of the district in an election held for the purpose; providing for the investment, reinvestment and change of investment of such funds; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 851 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 851 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bracewell
Ashley	Bullock
Bell	Carney

Colson	McDonald
Corbin	Moffett
Cousins	Moore
Hardeman	Morris
Harris	Phillips
Hazlewood	Proffer
Hudson	Shofner
Jones	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Taylor
Kelly of Tarrant	Tynan
Lane	Vick
Lock	Weinert
Martin	

House Bill 852 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 852, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing navigation districts heretofore or hereafter organized, containing municipalities of 300,000 population, or more, by the last or any future federal census, in addition to all other powers, to take possession of property, sought to be condemned at any time after award of the condemnation commissioners upon deposit with the clerk of the amount of the award, relieving such navigation districts of the requirement of giving security for costs; making the findings of the navigation commissioners final as to the plan, necessity, location, type of improvement and interest in land to be taken; providing that unconstitutionality of any part of the law shall not invalidate the remainder; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 852 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 852 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Colson
Ashley	Corbin
Bell	Cousins
Bracewell	Hardeman
Bullock	Harris
Carney	Hazlewood

Hudson	Morris
Jones	Phillips
Kelley of Hidalgo	Proffer
Kelly of Tarrant	Shofner
Lane	Strauss
Lock	Taylor
Martin	Tynan
McDonald	Vick
Moffett	Weinert
Moore	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 546 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 546, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing The Texas State University for Negroes to charge, use and appropriate to its own use certain fees, receipts, gifts, and institutional funds; prescribing regulations; validating prior use of such funds; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 546 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 546 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 545 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 545, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Directors of The Texas State University for Negroes to erect or acquire and equip, and contract for the erection, acquisition and equipment of any buildings and fixtures, including, but not limited to, student dormitories, faculty dormitories, dining halls, libraries, student activity buildings, stadia, and gymnasias, and grounds therefor, as may be necessary for the moral welfare and social conduct of the students and faculty members; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 545 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 545 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 301 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 301, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Acts 1941, 47th

Legislature, Chapter 514, page 832, House Bill No. 1020, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Bracewell offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 301 by adding thereto a new section between Sections 1 and 2 to be known as "Section 1-a" and to read as follows:

"Section 1-a. The repeal of this Act shall in no wise affect the rights of any person who has heretofore been pensioned thereunder, but any such person shall be entitled to continue to receive the same amount of pension from the pension system succeeding to and acting in place of the system created by the Act hereby repealed."

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Bracewell, and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 301 on Third Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 301 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 465 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 465, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 3, Acts 1929, Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, page 71, Chapter 41 (V. C. S., Article 6701a); to amend Section 8b, Acts 1929, Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, page 172, Chapter 88 (V. C. S., Article 6675a 8b), as amended; to amend Section 2, Acts 1929, Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, Chapter 42 as amended (Section 2, Article 827a, V. P. C.); repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith to the extent of such conflict; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 465 on Third Reading

Senator Bullock moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 465 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Carney
Ashley	Colson
Bell	Corbin
Bracewell	Cousins
Bullock	Hardeman

Harris	Moore
Hazlewood	Morris
Hudson	Phillips
Jones	Proffer
Kelley of Hidalgo	Shofner
Kelly of Tarrant	Strauss
Lane	Taylor
Lock	Tynan
Martin	Vick
McDonald	Weinert
Moffett	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 817 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 817, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating within the State of Texas, in addition to the districts into which the State has heretofore been divided as a conservation and reclamation district, for the purpose of navigation, the Aransas County Navigation District No. 1 of Aransas County, Texas, defining its powers and duties, creating an authority to make conveyance of certain lands to the City of Rockport subject to certain qualifications and restrictions, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Bell offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill 817 by striking out all below the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Section 1. Aransas County Naviga-

tion District No. 1 heretofore created under the provisions of the general law (Chapter 9, Title 128, R. C. S. 1925) and composed of all territory situated in Aransas County, Texas, be and the same is hereby converted to a Navigation District under the provisions of Article XVI, Section 59 of the Constitution of Texas and shall hereafter be governed by Chapter 5, page 7, Acts of the 39th Legislature, Regular Session, 1939, and all amendments and additions thereto and other statutes heretofore or hereafter enacted, relating to navigation districts created under said Chapter 5.

Section 2. Said District is hereby authorized to acquire from the City of Rockport, Texas, in the manner herein provided, all of the right, title, interest and equities which said City may have in seawalls, breakwaters, navigation facilities, appurtenances and all properties constructed or acquired by said City by use of the proceeds of sale of bonds issued by the City payable in whole or in part by grants of State taxes for general fund purposes on persons and properties, including rolling stock of railroads, in Aransas County. Said District is further authorized to assume the liability of said City for the payment of principal and interest on the City of Rockport, Texas, State Aid Seawall and Breakwater Bonds, in two (2) issues, dated November 1, 1939, and June 1, 1940, respectively, and the City of Rockport Seawall and Breakwater Refunding Bonds dated April 1, 1945, and the City of Rockport Seawall and Breakwater Refunding Bonds dated October 1, 1947, now outstanding in the principal, total, aggregate sum of \$111,000.00, which bonds are primarily secured by a pledge of State taxes for general revenue purposes which were granted to the City of Rockport by House Bill 180, Acts of the Forty-sixth Legislature, Regular Session, 1939, as amended and extended by Chapter 457, Acts of the Fiftieth Legislature, Regular Session, 1947; provided, that the City's liability on such bonds shall not be assumed by the District until approved by a majority vote of the qualified resident electors of said District who own taxable property within said District and who have duly rendered same for taxation voting at an election held for such purpose. Such election shall be held in the same manner provided for holding bond elections in said District and if the proposition of assuming the City's liability on said bonds

is favorably voted at such election, the District shall thereafter be liable on said bonds to the same extent, but only to the same extent, that the City would have been liable had not the District assumed such liability. Nothing herein shall be construed to affect in any way the grants of State taxes heretofore made to the City of Rockport, or any extension or enlargement thereof heretofore or hereafter made, except that all such taxes shall hereafter be paid when collected to the County Treasurer of Aransas County for the use and benefit of said District and to be first applied to the full extent necessary to pay the principal of such bonds when due and the interest thereon as it accrues. If the sums thus received by the District from such grants of State taxes should at any time be insufficient to pay the full amount of principal and interest of said bonds when due, the County Commissioners Court of Aransas County shall, at the time it levies county taxes and other taxes for said Navigation District, levy taxes upon all taxable property within said District fully sufficient, after due allowance for delinquencies and costs of collection, to provide funds to pay such principal and interest in the same manner and to the same extent that the City of Rockport would otherwise have been obligated to provide such funds; and such taxes shall be levied without limit as to rate or amount for such purposes.

Section 3. If the election hereinabove mentioned results in the assumption by said District of the City's liability on said bonds, all of the City of Rockport's title, right, interest and equities in and to all seawalls, breakwaters, navigation facilities, appurtenances and all properties of whatever nature and kind which the City constructed, purchased or acquired by use of the proceeds of sale of the bonds issued by the City and secured by State taxes granted to the City of Rockport by Chapter 23, Acts of the Thirty-sixth Legislature, Third Called Session, or House Bill 180, Acts of the Forty-sixth Legislature, Regular Session or Chapter 457, Acts of the Fiftieth Legislature, Regular Session, shall pass to said District at the time the returns of said election are canvassed and declared to be in favor of such assumption and the Mayor and City Secretary of said City shall forthwith execute and deliver such deeds and other conveyances as shall be necessary to record

the transfer of such properties. In the event such election is unfavorable to the assumption of such liability by the District, the Board of Navigation and Canal Commissioners is hereby authorized and empowered to convey to the City of Rockport, Texas, all of the right, title and interest in and to that tract of submerged and reclaimed land fronting the City of Rockport, Texas, as described in letter patent from the State of Texas, and recorded and described by metes and bounds in Volume Q-2, page 270 and as corrected in Volume U-2, page 611, of the Deed Records, Aransas County, Texas; subject, however, to the rights of any recorded lien-holder and to the rights of lessees and holders of franchises in possession, and thereafter the City of Rockport shall have and exercise the exclusive right of management and control of the seawall, breakwater, docks, wharves, and all appurtenances thereonto fronting the City of Rockport and situated upon the above described land.

Section 4. If the District assumes the City's liability on said bonds as hereinabove provided, the Commissioners' Court of Aransas County, acting for and on behalf of said District and at the request of said Board, shall be authorized to issue the bonds of said District for the purpose of refunding, cancelling and in lieu of all or any part of the bonds so assumed by the District. Such refunding bonds shall be secured by a pledge of the State taxes heretofore or hereafter granted for the purpose of paying the outstanding bonds to be refunded and further by the levy of taxes upon all taxable property within said District, if same be necessary, sufficient to make up any deficiency in such State tax grants and to insure the payment of said bonds, both principal and interest, when due.

Section 5. Should any section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word contained in this Act be held invalid or unconstitutional, the same shall not affect any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word thereof, and any other section, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase or word not affected by such holding shall remain in full force and effect, and shall be construed thereafter as being the entire provisions of this Act.

Section 6. The great public importance of the subject matter of this Act and the crowded condition of the legislative calendar, creating an emergency and an imperative public ne-

cessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended and the same is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 817 on Third Reading

Senator Bell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 817 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 571 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 571, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2746 of the R. C. S. of Texas, 1925, as amended by the Acts of the R. S. of the 47th Legislature, 1941, Chap. 623, page 1373, so as to increase the compensation for persons holding school elections; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 571 on Third Reading

Senator Bell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 571 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Harris
Ashley	Hazlewood
Bell	Hudson
Bracewell	Jones
Bullock	Kelley of Hidalgo
Carney	Kelly of Tarrant
Colson	Lane
Corbin	Lock
Cousins	Martin
Hardeman	McDonald

Moffett	Strauss
Moore	Taylor
Morris	Tynan
Phillips	Vick
Proffer	Weinert
Shofner	

House Bill 768 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 768, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 17a of Acts, 1930, Fourth Called Session, Forty-first Legislature, page 55, Chapter 32, to authorize leasing of State Parks for production of oil and gas."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 768 on Third Reading

Senator Bell moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 768 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Carney
Ashley	Colson
Bell	Corbin
Bracewell	Cousins
Bullock	Hardeman

Harris	Moore
Hazlewood	Morris
Hudson	Phillips
Jones	Proffer
Kelley of Hidalgo	Shofner
Kelly of Tarrant	Strauss
Lane	Taylor
Lock	Tynan
Martin	Vick
McDonald	Weinert
Moffett	

House Bill 616 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 616, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 7 of House Bill No. 522, Chapter 289 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, so as to provide for the increase of the annual agent's license fee from \$1.00 to \$2.00; providing that this Act shall take effect March 31, 1950; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 616 on Third Reading

Senator Cousins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 616 be placed in its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 245 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 245, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing the name of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum, so as to be hereinafter known as the Texas School for the Deaf; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 245 on Third Reading

Senator Ashley moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 245 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 239 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 239, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing the name 'Eleemosynary Institutions,' given to various State institutions, to 'Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools'; providing a changed meaning of the name 'Eleemosynary Institutions'; or any reference thereto, wherever such name or reference appears in the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1925, or any amendment thereto, or in any acts of any Legislature passed since the adoption of said revised statutes; ratifying and confirming in behalf of the Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools all Legislative Acts and Appropriations heretofore passed in behalf of the Eleemosynary Institutions or Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 239 on Third Reading

Senator Ashley moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 239 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bell
Ashley	Bracewell

Bullock	Martin
Carney	McDonald
Colson	Moffett
Corbin	Moore
Cousins	Morris
Hardeman	Phillips
Harris	Proffer
Hazlewood	Shofner
Hudson	Strauss
Jones	Taylor
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Lane	Weinert
Lock	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 709 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 709, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of Court Bailiffs of District Criminal, District and County Courts in counties having a population of 350,000 inhabitants, or more, according to the last preceding or any future Federal Census; providing their compensation and manner of payment thereof; providing that such bailiffs shall have the same authority as sheriffs to make arrests anywhere in the County where they are appointed and to serve anywhere in said County Warrants, Capiases, Subpoenas in all Criminal Cases, and all other processes, Civil or Criminal, in Cases issued by any District Court, County Court or Justice Court in the

State; providing such bailiffs shall be under the sole authority and direction of the Judge appointing them; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend H. B. No. 709 by striking out the figure 300,000 and inserting in lieu thereof the figure 355,000 in line 2 of Section 1.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend caption of H. B. No. 709 so as to conform to the body of bill.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 709 on Third Reading

Senator Harris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 709 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Bell
Ashley	Bracewell

Bullock	Martin
Carney	McDonald
Colson	Moffett
Corbin	Moore
Cousins	Morris
Hardeman	Phillips
Harris	Proffer
Hazlewood	Shofner
Hudson	Strauss
Jones	Taylor
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Lane	Weinert
Lock	

Lane	Proffer
Lock	Shofner
Martin	Strauss
McDonald	Taylor
Moffett	Tynan
Moore	Vick
Morris	Weinert
Phillips	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

House Bill 433 on Second Reading

Yeas—31

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 433, A bill to be entitled "An Act to make the provisions of the Acts of 1945, 49th Legislature, Page 122, Chapter 855 (Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes, Article 3912 (e)4a), applicable to all counties having a population of three hundred fifty-five thousand or more according to the last preceding or any future federal census; further providing that the provisions of this bill shall not be construed as limiting or repealing the provisions of House Bill 324, or any other laws relating to counties having a population of five hundred thousand or more according to the last preceding federal census, except as herein expressly provided, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 433 on Third Reading

Senator Harris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 433 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Cousins
Ashley	Hardeman
Bell	Harris
Bracewell	Hazlewood
Bullock	Hudson
Carney	Jones
Colson	Kelley of Hidalgo
Corbin	Kelly of Tarrant

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 665 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 665, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the Commissioner of the General Land Office to issue permits for geological, geophysical and other surveys and investigations of areas within tidewater limits which are not subject to valid subsisting oil or gas leases; authorizing any person who has a valid subsisting oil or gas lease to conduct geological, geophysical and other surveys and investigations on the areas included within their lease without a permit, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend H. B. No. 665 by adding a new paragraph to Section 5, as follows:

The Commissioner or the Attorney General shall make demand for payment at the same rate per day from

any person, firm or corporation which has heretofore conducted or may hereafter conduct such surveys on areas described herein without a permit or lease from the State. Upon refusal to pay, the Attorney General shall institute suit for such sums, or for the reasonable value of the privilege exercised, as damages for the unauthorized use of such property.

The amendment was adopted.

Senator Harris offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend H. B. No. 665 by adding the following phrase to the caption immediately preceding the words "and declaring an emergency":

Providing for recovery of payment or damages for unauthorized surveys heretofore or hereafter made.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 665 on Third Reading

Senator Harris moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 665 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Ashley
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Bell	Lock
Bracewell	Martin
Bullock	McDonald
Carney	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Corbin	Morris
Cousins	Phillips
Hardeman	Proffer
Harris	Shofner
Hazlewood	Strauss
Hudson	Taylor
Jones	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert
Lane	

Senate Bill 336 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 336, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 8229, R. C. S. of Texas, 1925, as amended by the Acts of the First C. S. of the 49th Legislature, Chap. 52, page 149, so as to change the provisions thereof to apply to navigation districts having a city containing two hundred fifty thousand (250,000) population or more according to the last preceding Federal Census; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 336 on Third Reading

Senator Cousins moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 336 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

House Bill 407 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 407, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing the name of West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon, Texas, to West Texas State College at Canyon, Texas; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

House Bill 407 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 407 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Jones
Ashley	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bell	Kelly of Tarrant
Bullock	Lane
Carney	Lock
Colson	Martin
Corbin	McDonald
Cousins	Moffett
Hardeman	Moore
Harris	Morris
Hazlewood	Phillips
Hudson	Proffer

Shofner
Strauss
Taylor

Tynan
Vick
Weinert

Nays—1

Bracewell

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bullock	McDonald
Carney	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Corbin	Morris
Cousins	Phillips
Hardeman	Proffer
Harris	Shofner
Hazlewood	Strauss
Hudson	Taylor
Jones	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert

Nays—1

Bracewell

House Bill 593 on Second Reading

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 593, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 1, Title 46 of the R. C. S. of Texas, 1925, as the same has been amended, by amending Articles 2461, 2462, 2464, 2465, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2477, and 2484 thereof, and by adding thereto an article to be numbered Article 2484b; containing a severability clause, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Hazlewood offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

(Committee Amendment No. 1)

Amend House Bill 593, Section 11, page 10, line 12, by placing a period (.) after the word "salary" and striking out the remainder of the sentence.

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Senator Hazlewood

and by unanimous consent, the caption was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

The bill was passed to third reading.

House Bill 593 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 593 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senate Bill 456 on First Reading

Senator Phillips moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III

of the Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Phillips:

S. B. No. 456, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Senate Bill No. 175, being Chapter 15 of the Acts of the Forty-sixth Legislature, Regular Session, effective March 25, 1939, as amended by House Bill No. 502, being Chapter 561 of the Acts of the Forty-seventh Legislature, Regular Session, effective July 2, 1941, as amended by Acts of 1945, Forty-ninth Legislature, page 406, Chapter 261, authorizing independent school districts or common school districts and cities which have assumed the control of public schools situated therein to build or purchase buildings and grounds located within or without the district or city, for the purpose of constructing gymnasias, stadia, or other recreational facilities, to build additions thereto, and to authorize the purchase of additional buildings and grounds for such purposes and to mortgage and encumber the same, and the income thereof, and to evidence the obligation therefor by the issuance of bonds to secure the payment of funds to purchase or construct or to purchase and construct the same; providing that the purchaser shall have a franchise to operate the same in case of foreclosure; providing that no such obligation shall ever be a debt of any such school district or city,

but solely a charge upon the property so encumbered; providing that no election for the issuance of such bonds shall be necessary; providing, that such project shall be deemed self-liquidating in character; providing that such bonds may be authorized by a majority vote of the boards of trustees of such school districts or the governing bodies of any such cities; providing that the cost of maintaining and operating the project shall be a first charge against the revenues of the project; providing that such bonds shall be payable from the net revenues of the project, together with all future extensions or additions thereto, or replacements thereof; providing for the payment of said bonds; providing that the holder of said bonds shall never have the right to demand payment thereof out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation; providing that said bonds shall be approved by the Attorney General and registered by the State Comptroller; providing that no bonds authorized shall be issued or executed after the expiration of two (2) years from the effective date of this Act; providing that no land upon which is situated school improvements shall be subject to the indebtedness created hereunder; validating the acts heretofore performed by school districts; enacting provisions incident and relating to the subject and purpose of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on State Affairs.

Executive Session

On motion of Senator Strauss, the Senate agreed to hold an executive session immediately.

Accordingly, the President pro tempore directed all those not entitled to attend the executive session of the Senate to retire from the Senate Chamber and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to close all doors leading from the Chamber.

At the conclusion of the executive session, the Secretary of the Senate informed the Journal Clerk that the Senate had confirmed the following nominations of the Governor:

To be Member of the Advisory Hospital Council to fill the unexpired term of Hon. Meade Griffin, resigned, term to expire August 13, 1953:

Earle P. Adams of Crockett, Houston County.

To be Member of State Board of Optometry to fill the unexpired term of Dr. N. J. Rogers, resigned, term to expire August 11, 1953:

Dr. Albert H. Rebsch of La Grange, Fayette County.

To be a Member of the Texas Prison Board to fill the unexpired term of Honorable Elmer L. Lincoln of Texarkana, resigned, term to expire February 2, 1951:

Henry S. Paulus of Yoakum, Lavaca County.

To be Members of the Board of Pilot Commissioners of Galveston and Texas City for two-year term to expire April 15, 1951:

Robert I. Cohen, III, of Galveston, Galveston County;

Randolph Pierson of Galveston, Galveston County;

W. P. Tarpey, Jr., of Texas City, Galveston County;

A. V. Stjepcevic of Galveston, Galveston County;

R. C. Rich of Texas City, Galveston County.

To be Pilot Commissioner for the Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries to fill the unexpired term of James N. Neff, resigned, term to expire June 15, 1949:

Howard Peterson of Orange County, Texas.

To be Branch Pilots for the Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries:

For two-year term to expire April 12, 1951:

Captain D. J. Simonton of Jefferson County, Texas.

For two-year term to expire February 12, 1951:

C. K. Luther of Jefferson County, Texas.

To be Branch Pilots for the Galveston Bar and the Houston Ship Channel for two-year terms, to expire March 4, 1951:

D. O. Duncan of Harris County; March 10, 1951:

H. C. Cage of Harris County.

To be Branch Pilots for the Galveston Bar and the Houston Ship Channel for two-year terms:

Roy C. Blodgett of Harris County, term to expire March 4, 1951;

Henry Corry of Harris County, term to expire March 4, 1951;

W. E. Dunlap of Harris County, term to expire March 4, 1951.

To be Branch Pilot for the Sabine Bar, Pass and Tributaries for two-year term to expire February 12, 1951:

R. Gerald Johnson of Jefferson County, Texas.

In Legislative Session

The President pro tempore called the Senate to order as in legislative session at 12:15 o'clock p.m.

Senate Joint Resolution 15 on First Reading

The following Joint Resolution was introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments:

By Senator Proffer:

S. J. R. No. 15, A Joint Resolution proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section to Article III, to be known as Section 60, authorizing legislative approval to that certain Compact entered into by the State of Texas and other Southern States by and through their respective governors on February 8, 1948, as amended, relative to the development and maintenance of regional educational services and schools in the Southern States in the professional, technological, scientific, literary and other fields, so as to provide greater educational advantages and facilities for the citizens in the several States who reside in such region; to declare that the State of Texas is a party to said compact, as amended, and that the agreements, covenants and obligations therein are binding upon said State, providing for the submission of this Resolution to the qualified voters of the State of Texas and appropriating funds therefor.

Senate Bill 457 on First Reading

Senator Moffett moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Hardeman	Shofner
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Hudson	Tynan
Jones	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

The following bill was then introduced, read and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Moffett:

S. B. No. 457, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating, ratifying, approving and confirming certain proceedings and bonds heretofore had or authorized by cities for purchasing fire trucks and equipment; providing that this Act shall not apply to any proceedings or bonds, the validity of which has been contested in any pending suit or litigation; and declaring an emergency."

To the Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

Caption of Senate Bill 231 Amended

On motion of Senator Jones, and by unanimous consent, the caption of S. B. No. 231 was amended to conform with the body of the bill as amended.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 47

Senator Kelly of Tarrant offered the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 47, Congratulating the City of Fort Worth on its Centennial.

Whereas, On June 6, 1849 Major Ripley A. Arnold and a company of United States dragoons established a military outpost at the confluence of the Clear Fork and the West Fork of the Trinity River; and

Whereas, This military establishment marked the beginning of the present metropolitan City of Fort Worth; and

Whereas, The citizens of Fort Worth through their religious, civic, cultural, educational and historical

organizations, in cooperation with the city government, purpose, by suitable parades, pageants, plays and spectacles, to properly review Fort Worth's century of progress; and

Whereas, These activities, sponsored and executed by the good citizens of Fort Worth, will spread the name and fame of all of Texas, as well as Fort Worth, before the peoples of the Nation and of the World; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that the City of Fort Worth be congratulated on her outstanding cultural and industrial achievements during her first century and the citizenship and public officials of Fort Worth be commended for their splendid plans to commemorate Fort Worth's centennial.

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Kelly of Tarrant and by unanimous consent, the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted.

Senate Resolution 140

Senator Phillips offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery the members of the Senior Class of Central High School, Galveston, Texas; and

Whereas, These students and guests are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That these individuals be officially welcomed and recognized by the Senate, and that each member of this class be furnished with a copy of this resolution.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Resolution 141

Senator Weinert offered the following resolution:

Whereas, A group of students from the Mary B. Erskine School of Seguin, Texas, their teachers and parents are now in the Capitol; and

Whereas, The above group has shown their desire to learn of the functions of their State Government so that upon reaching the age of voting they can more intelligently participate in the affairs of their Government; and

Whereas, The Senate of the State of Texas appreciates the interest shown by these students, their teachers and parents by making this trip to Austin; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Texas that we extend a cordial welcome to these students, their teachers and parents, and that a copy of this resolution, under seal of the Senate, be forwarded to the Mary B. Erskine School at Seguin, Texas, as evidence of this recognition.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

(President in the Chair.)

Bills Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate, after giving due notice thereof, the following enrolled bills:

H. B. No. 103, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prescribe minimum educational standards and to establish a State Board of Examiners in the Basic Sciences; providing for its appointment and organization and defining its powers; defining the healing arts; making certification by the State Board of Examiners in the Basic Sciences a prerequisite to eligibility for examination for license to practice the healing arts; establishing eligibility requirements for certification by the Board of Examiners in the Basic Sciences, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 105, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the changing of the name of John Tarleton Agricultural College, at Stephenville, Erath County, to the 'Tarleton State College,' and providing that wherever such name or reference of name appears in the Revised Statutes of Texas, 1925, or any amendment thereto, or in any Acts of any Legislature, passed since the adoption of said Revised Statutes or in any court decisions, shall mean and apply to the new name; and declaring an emergency."

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Lane, the Senate at 12:20 o'clock p.m., adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a.m. Monday, May 2, 1949.

Record of Votes

Senators Phillips, Corbin, Hazlewood, Jones and Kelly of Tarrant asked to be recorded as voting "nay" on the motion to adjourn.

FORTY-NINTH DAY

(Monday, May 2, 1949)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President pro tempore.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Morris
Corbin	Proffer
Cousins	Shofner
Hardeman	Strauss
Harris	Taylor
Hazlewood	Tynan
Hudson	Vick
Jones	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Absent—Excused

Kelley of Hidalgo Phillips

A quorum was announced present.

The Reverend Frank Luker, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, April 28, 1949, was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

Leaves of Absence Granted

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Kelly of Tarrant.

Senator Phillips was granted leave of absence on account of important business on motion of Senator Proffer.

Senate Bill 458 on First Reading

Senator Harris moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the Constitution be suspended to

permit his introducing at this time a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Kelly of Tarrant
Ashley	Lane
Bell	Lock
Bracewell	Martin
Bullock	McDonald
Carney	Moffett
Colson	Proffer
Corbin	Shofner
Cousins	Strauss
Hardeman	Taylor
Harris	Tynan
Hazlewood	Vick
Hudson	Weinert
Jones	

Absent

Moore Morris

Absent—Excused

Kelley of Hidalgo Phillips

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Harris:

S. B. No. 458, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating certain orders of Boards of Directors of Water Control and Improvement Districts which have installed and are operating water distribution systems and sewer collection and disposal plants and which have issued ad valorem bonds on such systems payable also out of revenues therefrom and which districts have been enlarged by such orders granting petitions of landowners filed with said districts that lands described in such petitions be added to said districts; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Civil Jurisprudence.

Senate Bill 459 on First Reading

Senator Martin moved that Senate Rule 114 and Section 5 of Article III of the Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: